Save The Orangutans

I am writing this to warn you about how orangutans are becoming endangered. In Borneo and Sumatra people are cutting down orangutan’s homes so they can plant palm oil trees. Palm oil trees are very weird looking trees that make palm oil. Palm oil is in many products. There are many different names for palm oil including other vegetable oils, sodium laureth sulfate, and sodium palmatate.

We need to stop what is happening because orangutans could be extinct in twenty to twenty-five years. Because of this the Philadelphia Zoo is supporting a group called the RSPO (Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil.) The RSPO is using palm oil safely. You can help by writing letters to companies that aren’t cooperating in the RSPO.